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Hongkong, March 24th, 1900.

The "Waler" angestion is to the fore. We see that the Bornee Company have Liven a cup, value \$250, for a race for Australian Griffia ponies at the next Sarawak race meeting, to be held in July this year.

According to the Times of India, many combined gironmstaness go to show that mobilisation during the spring for manauvres -in Baluchiatan of a considerable body of troops of all urms is being accanged for

The Russian cruiser Petropaulovsk, 1,200 tons, 600 crew, 11,500 horse power; and 60 guns, ful whether the president could have found a arrived at Singapore on the 16th jast from St. Petersberg, and was expected to leave for Hongkong on Wednesday last. This is one of the Russian boats which has been creating a scare near the Porson Gulf lately.

The Pipang Gasetle is mystorious. It save : The substantive appointment of Solicitor-General in the Straits Settlements, with residence (unfound) at Penank, will be recent in a few mouths' time, and the question arises, who will got in. There is a whisper of its being offered to a Cadet, whose name we know."

Indian exchanges give the arrangements for the Viceregal tour in Assem. Lord and Lady Curzon were to leave Calcutta on the night or 2nd March, maching Godundo on the 3rd, and proceeding direct to Dibrugarh. The party were to visit Tozour and Ganhati on the return iourney. The Viceroy was to reach Calcutta on the ovening of 15th March, Lady Curzon was to branch off and go to Darjeeling, eventually returning to Calcutta on 26th March.

Washington concerning Congrel Wheeler and a rich widow. There was no ongagement when the goneral left for the Philippinesonly a warm frien ship and admiration on both sides but after the little general went off to the war to expose himself to the dangers of a copied climate and the bullets of the Filiplines the lady was simply consumed with unxiety and has looked unliappy all winter. But since the sever announced that the general was coming home there has been a marked change in hor Loudon -5.042 balos home, 6 , balos waste looks and hor manners, which promises well ten littles 23 bules feathers, 13 cases brigtles, and 13

The shell-collecting oness mentioned at the Conneil meeting on Thursday are to be heard at the Supreme Court on Priday noxt.

The death is announced by telegram of the Right Honourable Ste Charles Hall, K.C.M.G. Q.C., Recorder of the city of London. He was been in 1843, and was the son of the late Vice. Chancellor Sir C. Hall.

We are requested on bahalf of the Directors of the Tung Wn Hospital to state that the name of the denors of \$300 to the Fund should bo the Nippon Yushen Kaisha, not the Mitaui

Singapore is well supplied with Circusos at present, for Warron's arrived on Saturday last and Worth's opens there to-lay. Among the latter's attractions is the performance of the Saxon Trio of strong men, one of whom has defeated Sandow and can bear 2,060 lbs. | Thels. weight on his body.

(The Ambrican papers bring the news that Harry Vasden, three times Champion of Great Britain, on the 17th alt, won the Golf Champiouship of the Worldby defeating the American Champion, William' Smith, on the links at St. Augustine, Florida. This is, if we are not mistaken, the first time in the history of Golf that a contest has been held under the title of the Championship of the World. Vardon, as s well known, is a Jorsey man:

The Band of the Hougkong Regiment will 8 p.m. to 9.30 p.m. The following is the pro-March " Beatt Libal" Souza. Selection ... " Rose of Persia" Sufficient

Lithis afternoon at 4 o'clock on the Happy Valley ground the G Company of the Royal Wolsh Fusiliers will play the Il Company of the same regiment in the Find for the Hong. kong Pootball Challenge Shield. The referee will be Mr. Greene, R.A. In the event of a draw half an hour's extra play will be ordered. At the end of the game Miss Hancock will present the Shield and Medals to the winners. The price of admission to the Club Stand, will. be fifty conts; ladies free, and members on pre-

sontationof their tickets.

The case at Singapore between Captain Morior, formerly master of the Corgon when she belonged to the East Indian Ocean Steamship Co., and Mr. A. O. Meyer, whose agents are Messre, Belin, Meyer, & Co., went in favour of the defendants. Captain Morier claimed \$450 for wrongful dismissal. The East Indian Ocean to, it will be remembered, sold the Gorgon and other steamors to the German firm, and the English officers were supersedud soon after the transfer to the German flag, the German Forbign Office only allowing them to be retained until the 5th November last,

The Times of India quotes an ingenious_case of opings-smuggling in Cazerat. It seems that there more drossed as Sadhus (ascotica) came into Ahinedabad, supparently from Marway, carrying with them eight buttles of hely water with the alloged intention of selling it at Dakor. The bottles were made of tin with glass necks. The mecks were filled with water. while the bedies of the bettler were packed with for the Solbas, and effected a skilful capture of the smugglers with Jolhs. 10 teles of opium in their possession. The punishment which followed was swift and sharp.

Our attention has been kindly drawn to a payagraph which appeared in a latter from our Munita correspondent, published on the Alst instant. In that bottor our correspondent gave publicity to cortain native allegations against Mr Collingwood, a gentleman representing Messrs. Smith. Bell & Co. at Cubat. It is pointed out that our correspondent has been ontirely misled, for motives best known to ing the high standing of this firm and their assistants, we decept this view and fregret exceedingly that anything should have been Sublished in any way derogatory to Mr. Collingwood. A further denial will no doubt be !

guard. Evidently the development of Japan's States." The Chronicle does not seem to credit Jupan with rough statesmanship or common-

We must not shoken yet in our efforts it well the Famino Rollef Fund. A latter latey received in the colony will show how serious the distress is in India, and how much mouse iwanted toulier into the great dissators be had befallen our fellow subjects L'unjand and the Bounday, We says the writer, " are has stared I can t describe to you the delocation and miser; that one gazes on hourly, famine and death everywhere. At Joypore saw an inberiess dead people lying in the streets and on the side of the read not one drop of rain for two years and a bulf. one morning thousands of people coming in to be given their portion of rice, eight lbs. to last a family of five for four days is the rate the Go. vernment has been obliged to fix. I saw a couple of miserable creatures to whom

I could give some coppers; before I could reach the carriage I was mobbed. They spring up from nowhere, the most ghastly emablated, diseased prontures all round me shouting Bonckes" meaning hangry. They fore at inc and fought with each other to got at mo. L'pity the officials trying to cope with the heavy odds against them! A common sight is to see guards of soldiers over trains and bullock carts taking rice and playue camps all along booked. the line. . . There is nothing else except

An American contemporary says -Judge William H. Tuft, of Cincinnati, was to-day (6th February), appointed by the President to be president of the new commission to organize a government in the Philippines. It is doubtbetter man for the place. The soluction is not only cordially approved in Washington, but is heartily applauded. Judge Taft is well remembered here as far back as the time when his father was Secretary of War under the Grant administration and he was a student at Yale. During the Harrison administration he was solictor-general, and made a record in that office second to none of its incumbents. He left i for the United States circuit bouch and his repotation as a wise, just and learned jurist is unsurpassed in the legal profession. Hisselection is the desire of the president to do the best that can be done for the Pilipinos. Judgo Tuft will have

as aserica is with him two or three other com-Liers, probably Col. Donby and Col. Worcester, who have already enent a your in the investigation of affairs in the Philippines and recommended the system of government which Judge Taft will organize. Judge Taft makes creat enoutices in necessing this responsibility He loaved an honoured place upon the United States circuit bonch a luxurious home, and a arge circle of friends, prompted only by asouse of date and a desire to gratify President A pretty stor is being whisnered about McKinloy und assist in carrying out bis Yushington concerning Conerel Wheeler and policy. Judge Talk said that the new countries sion, which will consist of five members, would sail for Manila soon after March 15. There is a report that affer the government in the Philippin a has been established Judge Tuft

will be appointed the first civil governor-general.

EXPORT CARGO Por steamer Trenkai, sailed on the 14th Mar.

TELEGRAMS:

"DAILY PRESS" SERVICE. ANOTHER GREAT FIRE IN THE NORTH.

HEAVY LOSS AT TIENTSIN.

Shanonat, 23rd March, 01:46 a.m. The Tientsin Trading Company's premises and stock were entirely burnt on Wednesday, the 21st instant. The insurances are: - London and Lancashire; twentyfive thousand Tuels; Royal, ten thousand

THE WAR.

BOERS SURRENDERING RAPIDLY

LONDON, 22nd March; 9,25 a.m. Generals Clements, Gatagro, and Brabant are steadily advancing, and their patrols and flying columns are intercepting the burghers projecting to Commandant Jouplay at the Hangkong Hotel this evening from bort's camp at Exconstad. Hundreds of the Boers have already surrendered.

PRESIDENTS STILL ORDURATE. The Presidents at Kroonstad have issued mpresioned appeals for a continuance of Greatte "Douxieme" ... Codfrey Polka "Chateof on Espagne" ... Waldtenfel "God Save the Queen." the struggle in order to preserve the independence of the Republics.

REUTER'S SERVICE.

LONDON, 20th March.

THE AGRA BANK IN LIQUIDATION At a meeting of the Agra Bank, voluntary liquidation was resolved on THE WAR-GENERAL METHUEN'S FORCE.

Desultory firing occurred throughout Sunday across the river at Warrington, the enemy concentrating their attention on the forces guarding the pont. On the arrival of, a

battery the enemy retired on Christiana, THE REBELS AT PRIESKA. The rebels round Prieska have commenced

LONDON, 21st March.

GENERAL KUTCHENER'S CAPTURES Goneral Kitchener has occupied Prieska empturing 33 prisoners, 200 stands of arms, some | the public benefit, so that before the committee supplies and explosives. The Transvallers escaped across the river.

STEYN'STHREAT TO THE BURGHERS. President Steyn threatens to shoot as traiters any Burgho's who undertake not to fight against the British.

THE PLAGUE. The Plague is raging in Calcutta and Patna.

INDIAN FAMINE FUND.

A grand entertainment will be given on 18th 19th and 21st of April in the Theatre Royal in aid of the Indian Famine Fund. In all probability "The Area Belle" will be played in addition to a short selection from "The Mikado"; and several other boyelties will be introdured. The performances will be under the most distinguished patronage, The following Committee have the matter in hand:-Sir Thomas Juckson (Chairman), Capt. Hon. H. W. Trofusis, Viscount Suirdale, G. A. Caldwell F. G. Motton, R.N., F. Walvyn, R.W. F., E. W. Mitchell (stage manager) and Dr. Lowson (Hon.

THE THEATRE.

A very large andience assembled in the City forthcoming from our correspondent in due Hell last night to welcome Mr. Dallas' production of. "A Runaway Girl." The sight of so large an assombly was indeed a pleasure, as it proved that the efforts of Mr. Dallas and his o It has been assumed in some quarters," says talented company are being appreciated as they The leading English makers freely The Sun Francisco Chronicle, "that Japan is deserved The piece is an admirable one, and has proparing for a struggle with Russie over the met with tremendous saccess at home, which latter's encreachments upon China and Corea; was continued in India in the several large but that may be altogether misleading. The cities in which the Dallas Company performed. acquisition of the Philippines by the United The presentation of "A Runaway Girl" last States has brought this country in direct touch night left little to be desired, the principals with Japan and has probably forestalled her being seen and heard to much advantage, onambition to seeme their possession herself. We cores being repeatedly deplanded. The miner surfer, of the Dublin Fusiliers, have excaped bad a little experience with her in connection parts of coarse do not come in for so much from Pretoria. with the annexation of the Hawaiian islands, notice; but they were carefully performed and which gave us an insight into her character and deserving of much praise. The hard work does disposition and which nught to put us on our not always fall upon the principals and the success of a piece depends much upon those taking of Ladysmith, The populace wade navy will bear close watching by the United the miner parts. From a nusical point of view attempts to storm thoubside, but the police the play was excellent, and the sconery was feventually renelled or crowd. good and the costumes charming. The leading - a copieings at Montreal over the Psarde figure was Mr. Dallas as Flipper, and his formance was marked with his - notity. He was the soul of the pie was on him as a pivot the fun and life of La entertainment moved. Miss A Mileyne was the Rimaway Gert

very prattily. Her most successful song was What made him think of that," but she was also much applauded in the dust, "It will sarely break my heart," which she sang with Mr. Percival, who personated her lover. His performance was a complete success and he wellden reed the applause given him. He sang very spiritedly That's not the sort of girl I care about." . The song of the piece, which has become so pointar that it was played before the City of London Volunteers when they left, was "Oh! listen forthe Band," which fell to Miss Hottie i'sel, who gave it with a fine swing, and the andionce showed their appreciation by recalling hor. Hor vivacity all through was charming. Another success of the evening was Miss Rosie Blair, who as the coster girl turned Italian musician created much amneement. She displaying much ability. Mesers. Munro, Stephenson and Mormanu were also good, in smaller parts; and the performance was a complete success. It will be repeated to night, when no doubt a large andience will be present, many seats being already

On Monday night Mr. Dallas and his falented Commany will play " His Excellency the Governor." It is quite new to Hongkong theatie goers, as this will be its first representation bere, but in London at the present time it is engaging a long and successful run at the Criterion Theatre. Originally produced at the Court Theatre, tho success was almost sonsational; and there is no doubt that it will achieve a long ran, probably going close to beating the wonderful record created by "Charley's Aunt." The author. Capt. W. Marshall who was sometime A.D.C. to the Governor of Natalasius chosen for his thome a quaint episode in efficieldom, and the working out of the plot involves the most comical situations that our can imagine. The author's position is a protty fair guarantes of the details. being nogurate, and at the same time the consider in always in good, and scintillating with choice epigram and brilliant wittioisms The Buth Telegraph expressed itself in the following oulogistic manner: "The Comedy is one nobody. must miss seeing. It is funny begond words. and always in excellent taster branchy the smartest bit of writing of the taster decade." Mrs. Dallas will appear as Stella de Wez, one of her pet characters, and this being the first thing of note that this charming lady has done this season, makes the performance doubly interesting. 4)n Theoley "The Sign of the Cross" will by rovived.

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HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB.

THE PROPOSAL TO BAIL IN THE GROUND. Lost night's general meeting in connection with the Mongkong Oricket Clut was held for the purpose of considering a saggestion of the committee That the ground should be railed in. Mr. A. G. Wise presided.

there had been complaints as to the bad condi- Konts follow. tion of the ground. The complaints had been to this purport particularly—that the ground had become a playground for dogs and little belonged to the Crown and was for manifestations of joy. called them together they thought they ought to get an estimate as to what these railings would cost. They had done so, and as far as they could gather the cost would be about \$3,200 They had \$4,000 in the Bank. The committee communicated with the Government, who approved of the proposal and also agreed to pay onethird of the cost. (Hear, hear).

Apawering a question, the CHAIRMAN said it was proposed that the railings eshould be five feet high and that there should be four gates, which should be closed at night. On the motion of Mr. Douglas Jones, seconded by M. J. M. Kir, the suggestion of the committee was adopted,

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THE WAR IN SOUTH AFRICA.

NEWS VIE RANGOON.

TWO OFFICERS RECAPE FROM PRETORIA. It is reported that Captain Haldans, of the Gordon Highlanders, and Lieutenant Lo Mo

REJOICINGS AND MEETINGS. A pro-Boer meeting at Exeter Hall was held amilist the rejoidings on the news of the relief barg victory culminated in serious racial conthets between the English and French students. MEMORIAL ON FATE OF REPUBLICS. Lord Salisbury's parlimentary followers are jurgely signing montorials demanding the dis-.. sa Grey, and she sang and played armament of the South African Republics and

their conversion info Crown Colonies. GENERAL WHITE'S REMARK. Sir George White speaking after Lord Dandonald's arrival said. "It hurt me forribly to reduce the rations but thank God, we've kept our flag flying."

YOLU DETAILS OF THE 27TH FEBRUARY Loudon, 4th March. Lord Roberts describes the Onnadian sall before daybreak on Tuesday as forming a lighty important chare in his operations. They crawled on their stomachs at dark to within eighty words of Cronjo's langer | country since the Union. Her Msjesty has trouches, without firing themselves, but drawing a murderous point-blank fatillade, while the Support prepared the trenches behind them to which they retired. The appearance of the 1st 159 Boors surrendered forthwith.

perceived approaching Lord Roberts's sleeping waggen. The Scaforths formed a guard and General Pretyman trode up presently with General Crouje, wantbarnt, grey-haired man in tweed over-ook! and felt hat with an orange ribbon. Cronis gulutud the group and dismounted Lord Reberts shock hands with him. remarking . " I acrigial to see you and glad to moot so bear and Cronge mas tacitaru and negotiated reluctably. He was whered into the tent and birtickast was provided, where, in dainty little piece made such a hit that its the course of sen fersation, Colonel Albrecht | Mr. John Redmond and the Irish people pronounced the British dactics until Lord seers gratified at the Army Order respecting Roberts's arrival so perfectly insane and even worse than Croup's larger blunder, but the with respect their Venerable Sovereign; but behaviour of want soldiers he described as uniformly admerable. TRAINE THE LAAGER.

The langer is described as a warren of burrow. ed holes for sheltering the women and children. who were unlighted but suffering privations The few British prisoners but been treated kindly. There were 200 wounded who had beau would be allowed to wear the Shamrock. M fearfully neglected. It is supposed the big gans | Goschen said that Irishmen in the Navy would had been buried among the gumerous graves have be allowed to wear it. The food supplies were nearly spent. Thestench of palrefying horses was frightful. The House willingly flung down flieir rifles in heaps and waded in to the river trousersless joking and splashing in the water, They intonsely admire the Highlunders auffrage delighted at receiving permission to journey Canewards by commandes ! under their own officers, but they upbraid Conje's | Kurobatkin's sebeme was chacked, when he cruelty. The momen yere amuzed when juter | reported everything ready for the seizing of proters assured them they would be unharmed. The suggestion that Majnba Day would be appropriate for the final attack originated with ment eneral Macdianald who is improving rapidly. Much is expensed now that Lord Kitchener as arrived at Armodel His self-effacoment throughout is the though of general simiration.

THE OCCUPAND THE NATION. London, 5th March. It is stated the Queen desires to drive through the Libertin kirdets to personally partianticipation over the sening duel between Lord had no ground for making representations to long. 107.60 h., from Rajang for Hongkong, 1328 - 9 Roberts and General Joubort, but the confidence Linesia regarding the same, - Reuter.

in the former is unbounded. At Protoris. on the other hand. President Kruger has issued an appeal to the Burghers to stand fest, promising that they shall provail as the chosen of the Lord

prevailed over the Philistines. MR. RHODES PROCEEDS TO MNOWND. Mr. Rhodes has left Kimberley, proceeding LADYSMITH COULD HAVE LASTED A WESK.

London, 5th March. The correspondents my that Ladysmith could not have held out much more than another week. When relieved the troops were in the last stage of exhaustion and destitution. Two companies of Infantry could not march one and half miles and many horses were dying daily of starvation. WHAT REALLY SAVED THE TOWN.

The public hardly recognises that Ladysmith was practically saved from the west, being too. sympathotic over General Buller's defeats. Sir George White's name is upportment for having sustained the spirit of the garrison under worse conditions than were suspected. It transpires that the ammunition was running out and another uttack must have been met hand to hand. Twenty-one thousand people of all classes were on rations of a half pound of meal daily, supplemented by horse meat. The medical supplies had been exhausted since the middle of January and every patient since was regarded as doomed A total of 8,000 patients have passed the hospital doers, whereof 200 in February clone ancommbed The total deaths from casuallies amount to

24 officers and 240 mon, and from disease to officers and 349 men, exclusive of the white civil population. TROPHETS FIX THE PROBABLE DATE OF

London, 6th March. The Military authorities, apart from all prospect of surrender, fix the workable date for the conclusion of the war at the 30th September. General Buller's oypher messages had been pre-rically so despondent that they were agreeably surprised at the auddenness of the relief of

FOOD AND PIGHTING. Mr. Winston Churchill reports that immediatoly on the arrival of Lord Dundonald in Ladyenith, Sir George White ordered full rations with a view to intercepting the Boar ratreat. Only 2,000 of the garrison were fit to march five miles. These shelled the enemy on Penworth Hill and a skirmish custed wherefrom the troops retired at midday exhausted. It appears Kimberley was even worse off in

respect of food, although ammunition was plan-The Eighth Division is mobilizing. The 2nd Manchosters embark on Tuesday: the 2nd Bat-The CHAIBMAN said that for some time past talion Groundiers, Scots Guards, and West

HER MAJESTY'S INTENTIONS.

Her Majesty has abandoned the intention of children, a thoroughfare for coolies, and a figiting the Continent this year, deeming it her sleeping place during hot weather for beach- duty to be among her subjects during the procombors, etc. The committee had taken the sout crisis. Having shared their grief at the matter into consideration, and after a good deal frequent reverses in the early part of the war, of thought had come to the conclusion that the she now desires to participate in their joy in ground with iron railings. Of course this delight of the citizens of London, it is stated railing in would entail a considerable expentitle that she wishes to drive through the streets, diture. They had no title to the ground, which and thus take a personal part in the general NEWS PROM NATAL.

London, 5th March Recent advices from Natal make it evident that General Joubout reised the siege and drew massing to oppose the advance of Lord Roberts. in the Orange Free State. LADYSMITH MIGHT HAVE HELD OUT A WEEK.

Loudon, 5th March. It is stated that Lord Dundonald was merely scouting in the neighbourhood of Ladysmith when, to his surprise, he found the road clear. With his usual dash he did not wait for orders but rode through and relieved the much tried garrison. The relief did not come a day too soon. Correspondents say that Ladysmith might have held out a week, but hardly longer. The troops were in the last stage of exhaustion and destitution, and two companies of Infantry could not march a mile and a half. Many horses were dying daily of staffection. As these particulars | 999 years. Crown Rout \$11.53. With and are becoming known at home. the joy ever the relief is being intensified, and the ful significance of the successful invasion of the Free State by Lord Roberts is being realised.

DEPRESSION AMONG THE BORRS. Pho recout victories of the British in the \$10.72 With and aroger to a right of very Council Sold for \$13.300 effect on a portion of the enemy, and The Times correspondent at Osfontain states that, a little-Roberts, a commundo of J.000 Boers offered to surrender. The terms they proposed, however were impossible, and the British Commanderin Chief rejected the offer.

BORR PREPARATIONS AT PRETORIA. There is a bravado of desperation about Boar - Sold for \$12,200. announcements just now. They say that the Lot 20-No. 11, D'Aguilar Street. Area 814 invasion of the Fransvaul is impossible, as they have blown up every bridge and culvert from Ladysmith to Glencoe, and also the Elandalangte collieries. President Steyn is reported to Sold for \$12,000. have beasted that the capitulation of Pretoria Europe. The country surrounding the Boer capital is said to be a complete net work of \$10.31. With and subject to a right of way mines and other infernal death-traps, the work | Sold for \$12,050. of one of the most ingenious engineers and chemists that Franco has ever produced.

GENERAL WHITE INTERVIEWED. London, Sth March. Mr. Winston Churchill, the enterprising correspondent of the Morning Post, has had an interview with General White, and has succonded in drawing the hero of Ladysmith on the subject of criticisms of his generalship. before the singe-General White bitterly complained of the unfairness of home criticians, and the atompts of the War Office to supersede him which

General Buller presented. Her regretted Nicholson's Nek, but nothing else. THE CIMEN'S VISIT TO IRELAND. London, 8th March. .The announcement that the Queen will visit Dublin in April has created the liveliest satisfaction in the whole of Ireland, and great preparations are being made to give her a reception which will be unique in the bistory of the intimated her desire to stay at least a fortaight

ria. Dublin. THE QUEEN IN LONDON. The Queen has arrived in London, and is Clordons and 2nd Shropshires with bayonets now daily driving through the leading thorough tixed spread a paulo amongst the enemy and fares. Her presence has evoked an indescribable outburst of enthusiasm. Crowds greet her Shortly afterwards a group of horsemon were | on every hand, and scenes that are of hourly occurrence trave outy been equalled in the past by those witnessed on the occasion of her Diamond Jubilees.

THE PROPOSED IRISH GUARDS. London, 8th March. In the House of Commons, to-night, Mr. Bultour said that the proposal to create Irish Guards will be submitted to the Queen, who will doubtless consider at favourable for THE INISH PEOPLE AND THE QUEEN. London, 6th March.

the wonring of the Shamrock, and will treat knowing the chivalrons Irish hospitality, it and is expected to arrive bero on the 27th inst. must not be taken to mean any abatement of the National demands. PERSONNEN AND THE SHAMROCK. London, 9th March. in the House of Commons, Mr. Powell Williams said that Irishmen of any regiment

OTHER TELEGRAMS.

ENGLAND, RUSSIA, AND PERSIA.

London, 3rd March. An authentic rumour is abroad that General | Bea. Heret, by the Czar's rebaking him and declining to profit by another country's embarrase. Pins coupled with the Austrian Emperor eremark that the law-ray of Europe sided. with the livers, has helped to reverse Continental opinion. The French Press is still goading Steamers in Swatow-Hajton, Dagmar; Newis occupied with re-considering our tactics.

make it w military port, said the Government.

LONDON, 6th March. The Kolntsche Zeitung announces the Persian Railways Company as being established in St. Petersburg, tensia leasing one of the Persian ports on similar terms to these of the Port Arthur base.

LOYALTY OF THE AMEER. London, 9th March. Renter has received the following account an interview that took place between the Ameer Abdul Rahman and Mr. Frank Martin, at Cabul, at the end of January last. His Highness, in the course of conversation, strongly affirmed his loyalty to Great Britain; and said a Russian war with Afghanistan would mean a general rising of Islam, spreading through Central Asia. "Minssalmen," he said, "hate Russia, who could not successfully fight Afghanistan and India. Afghans would prefer douth to the Russian yoke, and were already to light for England in Afghanistan or India. Advorting to the letter received from the Indian Government, deprecating His Highness buying large quantities of war material, he resented the suspicion thereby implied.

IMPORTANT PROPERTY SALE YESTERDAY.

Yesterday afternoon Musers Hughes and Hough offered for sale by anotion at their of- 8ti fices in Ice house Street 32 lots of leasehold propoty. Several lots were disposed of the folal amount restised being \$3.1,260. The following are the particulars:-Lot I No. 1, Wyndham Street. Area 2,684 square feet, Torin 999 years. Crown Ront 10th 42.96. Sold for \$19.490s Lot 2-No. 3, Wyndham Structs Area 4,120 square feet. Term 999. years. Crown Rent

Lot 3-No. 1, Wellington Street. Area.1.078 square fact. Torm 999 years. Crown Ront \$16.90. With and subject to a right of way. Lot 4-No. 3. Wellington Street, Area 793 square feet. Term. 999 years. Grown Rent \$12.28 With and subject to a right of way.

Lot 5-No. 13, Wellington Street. Area 921 square fest. Torm 999 years Crown Rent \$14.84 Sold for \$ 8,600. Lot 6-No 2. D'Aguilar Street, Area 754 square feet, Subject to Proportion of Mortgage \$8,000. Torm 992 years. Crown Rout \$11.64. With and subject to a right of way.

Bold for \$12,600. Lot 7-House at back of No. 2. D'Agoilar Street. Area 466 square feet. Term 999 years. Crown Rant \$6.97. With and subject to a right of way. Sold for \$2,000. Lot 8-No 4, D'Aguilar Street. Area 718 square feet. Subject to Proportion of Mort-

gade \$7,000. Torm 990 years. Grown Rent St102. With and subject to a right of way. Lot 9-House at back of No. 4, D'Aguilar Street. Area 442 square foot. Torm 999 years. Crown Rout \$6.44. With and subject to a right of way Sold for \$1,960. Lot 19-No. 0, D'Aguilar Street. Area 716 only way of dealing with it was to rail in the the recent splendid victories, and, much to the square feet. Subject to Proportion of Mortgage \$7,000. Term 999 years. Crown Rent \$11.03. With and subject to a right of way.

> Sold for \$12,000. Lot 11-House at back of No. 6, D'Aguilar Street. Area 512 square feet. Torm 990 years. Crown Reut \$7.71. With and subject to a right of way. Sold for \$2:050. Lot 12 No. 8, D'Aguilar Street. Aren 75 off the investing army to swell the force he was Square feet. Subject to Proportion of Blortgage \$7,000. Term \$99 years. Crown Rent \$11.59. With and subject to a right of way. Sold for \$11,900.

Lot 13-No. 10, D'Aguilar Street. Area 702 square feet. Subject to Proportion of Mortgago \$7,000. Term 999 years. Crown Rent \$11.61. With and subject to a right of way. Lot 14-No. 12, D'Aguilar Street. Aron 753 square feet. Subject to Proportion of Mortgage \$7,000. Term 999 years. Crown Rent \$11.64. With and subject to a right of way. Sold for \$12,050. Lot 15-No. 1, D'Aguilar Street. Subject to an underlease. Area 891 square feet. Term subject to a right of way. Sold for \$14,55 . Lot 16-No. 3, D'Agullar Street. Subject to an underlesse. Area 863 square feet. Term 999 years. Crown Reut 10.63. With and subject to a right of way. Sold for \$12,000. Lot 17-No. 5, D'Aguilar Street. Area 8.43'

Lot 18 No. 7, D'Aguilas Stroot. Area Shid. Theatises on Diseases of the Feet. square foot Torin 999 years. Crown Rent previous to the last successful action of Lord \$10.55. With and subject to a right of way. Sold for \$12,100. Lot 19-No. 9, D'Aguilar Street. Area 823 square feet. Subject to Proportion of Mori. gage \$7,000. Term 999 years. Crown Roat 410.47. With and subject to a right of way.

square fast. Subject to Proportion of Mortgage 87,000. Torm 909 years. Crown Rent 210.35. With and subject to a right of way. Lot 21-No. 13, WAgailar Street, Aran S11 will be preceded by events which will astonial square feet. Subject to Proportion of Mortgage \$7, 800 Porm 990 yours. Crown Rout. Lot 22-No. 15; D'Ag Slar Street. Area 852 Square feet. Subject to Proportion of Mort-

gage \$3,500. Term 909 years. Crown Rent -LEIOS4. With and subject to a right of way Lot Mo-No. Lan, Wellington Street. Ares 1,358 square feet. Subject to Proportion of Mortgare \$6,000, Term 999 years. Crown Ront \$17.50. With and subject to a right of Lot 21-No. 15c, Wollington Street Aren 1.059 square feet, Subject to Proportion of Mortgage \$5,50). Term 999 years. Crown Rent \$13.61. With and subject to a right of

way. Sold for \$10.600.

Lot 25-No. 150. Wollington Street. Area 1,057 square feet. Subject to Proportion of Mortgage 35,500, Torm 990 years. Crown Rent \$13.57. With and subject to a right of way. Sold for \$10,400. Lot 26-No. 14. Graham Street. Area 791 square fact. Term 999 years. Crown Rout 8.57. Sold for \$8.8v0. Lot 27-No. 16, Graham Street. Avea 757 square fast. Term 999 years, Crown Rent \$8.19. Sold for \$8.350. Lat 28-No. 18, Graham Street. Area 761 square feet Term 1990 years. Crown Rent 88.24. Sold for 88, 150. Lot 29-No. 20, Graham Street, Aven 753

square feet. Term 999 years. Crown Rent 38.15. Sold for SS.500. Lot 30-No. 22, Grabant Street. Area 757 square foot. Term 999 years. Crown Rent \$8.19. Bold for \$4,450. Lot 31-No. 24, Graham Street. Area 752 sonare feet, Term 999 years, Crown Rent \$8.14. Sold for \$8.300. Lot 32-No. 26, Graham Street Area 779 source foot. Term 999 years. Crown Rent 28.43. Sold for \$8,350.

LATEST STEAMER MOVEMENTS. The N.Y. K. ateamer Patonic Magre (Anatra-Han Line) lott Nagasaki for this port yesterday The N. Y. K. stennier Hicoshine Mara (Bombay Line) left Moji for this port vesterday and is expected to arrive here on the 1sth hist. The N: P. steamer Glenogle sailed from Victoria on the 20th instant for Japan and The R. P. stenmer Tacoma sailed from Victoria on the 21st instant for Japan and Hongkong.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British steamer Machow, from Siam 15th Murch, had fresh N.E. breeze and high head The Hritish steamer Taxang, from Shangbai 17th Murch and Swatow 23od, had strong N.E. to E.N.E. winds all the way! high sea, thick The British steamer Formesa, from Swatow

22nd March, had strong E.N.E. wind, moderate

Gormany to intervene; while the German Press | chwang, Mongkut, Foodhow, Kicking, and -The British steamor Chronshan, from Koh-si-Mr. Brodrick, replying to questions in the chang 15th March, had light wind and fine GENERAL STORERE EPERS. Hon e of Conferent pointing to Russian designs | weather to Padaran Cape; from them to port cipate in her peoples or over the victories in to constructed rollway to Bunder Abbas and I tresh broats and long heavy N.E. swell; sky I olonly and overeast. 18th March, spoke British The nation at home is now in a state of fervid | and no information continuing the above and barque Stanled of Saigon, lat. 10,10 N. seven days out.

DIARY OF THE WAR.

FROM THE DATE OF CRONIK'S SURBENDERL 27th Feb .- 1,000 Bours under Cronjo surrender to Lord Roberts on the anniversary of 28th Fob. - Dundonild enters Ladyamith. End

1st March -Roberts and Kitchener pay a flying visit to Kimberley. 2nd March Roberts goes to Osfontain. Bris tish troops in the Free State in touch with 7,000 Boers: Resistance expected on the Molder River, near Abraham's Kenal Ruller reports Natal clear as far as Vanroenon's Pass. March-President Krugor on a visit to the From State.

March-Clements reports that our treeps hold Achtertang, but the Boers are in strong force at Norval's Pont. Brahant victorious nour Dordrocht. 6th March-Gatago enters Stormberg. Revolt

7th March-Roberts turns the Boor position on the Modder Enemy in full retreat. British hondquarters at Poplar's Drift. March-Kelly Kedny advances 10 miles on through the Free State. Gatocre oc-. cupies Burghersdorp, and Cloments Nor.

March-British troops concentrating on Bloomfontain met by onemy at Driefontein. Cavalry turn the position and the Boars are defeated. \$56.27. With and subject to a right of way. 11th Merch-Roberts reaches Assengel Rep Gataore at Bethalie Bridge. 2th March-French coouples a position commanding Bloomfontoin. The Boar Pre-

> basis of independence. 13th March-General Roberts occupies Bloom. fontein. Free State capital removed to Kroonstad. 14th March-Brabant occuries Aliwal North. 15th March-Gatacre crosses the Orange

communication with Roberts. 16th March-Line from Capetown to Bloomfontein clear. 18th March-Plumer within 11 miles of Mafeking. Mothuen at Warrenton. 19th March-Kitchener enters Priesks Sir A

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HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE. THE ORDINARY HALF-YEARL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Company's Hotel on TUES DAY, the 27th March, 1300, at Noon, for the Cushmere Shawls. Spanish Wines and Durpose of Receiving a Statement of Accounts Mauila Cigars; 12, D'Aguilar Street. of the Company to the 31st December, 1899, with the Report of the Directors, and to discuss any mutters that may be competently brought before the Meeting. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company

will be CLOSED from the 13th to the 27th MARCH, 1900; both days inclusive. By Order of the Board, C. MOONEY,

Hongkong, 27d March, 1900, THE HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE is breedy given that an EXTRA-ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Hongkong Hotel Company, Limited, will be held at the Company's Hotel on the 27th day of March, 1900, at 12 15 P.M. 1.—To consider and if thought fit approve the draft New Regulations which will be.

submitted to the Meeting and in the event of the approval thereof with or without modifications or alterations. To consider and if thought fit to pass a Resolution to the effect "that the New, "Regulations already approved by this "Mosting and for the purpose of identi-"lication subscribed by the Chairman "thereof be and the same are hereby Capproved and that such Regulations be "and the same are hereby adopted as the

"Regulations of the Company to the "exclusion of all the existing Regula-"tions thereof." A Copy of the proposed New Regulations may be seen at the Company's Office. Should the above Resolution be passed by the equired majority it will be submitted for confirmation as a Special Resolution to Second Extraordinary Meeting which will be bsoquently convened. Inted the 1st day of Murch, 1900.

By Order of the Board, C. MOONEY,

Hongkong, 2nd March, 1900. HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED.

OTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Office of the Company on TUESDAY; the 27th day of March, at Noon, for the purpose of confirming the following Special Resolution which was passed at the Extraordinary General Mesting of Sharebolders on the 7th instant. SPECIAL RESOLUTION:

"That the profits averaed to the Company from the issue at a premium of the New Shares in the Company, authorised to be issued by the Special Resolution passed on the 6th, and confirmed on the 23rd day of April, 1889, amounting to the sum of \$1,250,000, and which was then carried, and is now standing, to the Credit of the Reserve Fund in pursuance of such Special Resolution, be capitalized and be applied in part payment of the Call of \$50 per Share on all the Shares in the Company, to be made by the Board."

By Order of the Board, A. SHELTON HOOPER, Secretary. Hongkong, 8th March, 1900.

CHINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE, THE TWENTY SECOND ORDINARY.
ANNUAL MEETING of the SHARE-HOLDERS of the Company will be held at the Offices of the General Agents on THURS-DAY, 29th Murch at 3.P.M., for the purpose of receiving their Report, with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1899. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 16th to 29th March

both days inclusivo. JARDINE, MATHESON & CO. General Agents. Hongkong, 10th March, 1960.

HONGKONG CLUB.

NOTICE. N EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MUETING of the Members of the Club will be held in the Club House on THURSDAY, the 29th March, 1900, at 5 P.M. for the mirpose of confirming or otherwise the Resolution passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting hold on the lath inst.

By Order, C. H. GRACE, Bacretary. Hougkong, 19th March, 1900. LUZON SUGAR REFINING CO. LTI NOTICE.

TIME EIGHTEENTH ORDINARY AN I NUAL MEETING of the SHARE-70 | HOLDERS of the Company will be held at the l'Offices of the General Agents, Peddar Street. at 12:30 r m, on SATURDAY, 31st March, for the purpose of receiving their Report and a Statement of Accounts to 21st December, 1899. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 24th to 31st M. reh, both days inclusive. JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.,

General Agents. Hongkong, 20th March, 1900. HUMPHREYS ESTATE AND FINANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

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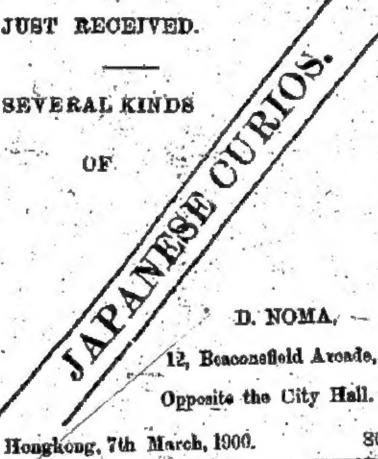
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The O. & O. steamer Coptie, with the American-Mails, left Yokohama on Monday, the 19th instant, at daylight, and may be expected here on or about Tuesday, the 27th The T. K. K. steamer America Mora, with Muils, &n., loft San Francisco for this port via Honolula, Yokohama, Luland Sea, Kobo, Naga-

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. The steamer Korca left Singapore on the 20th instant, and may be expected here on or about the 26th justant The Glon Line steamer Glenforg, from Mid diesbro', London and Straits, left Singapore on Office, on Third Floor of Prince's the 3-th instant, and may be expected here on the 26th instant. The O. S. S. ateamer Machaon left Singa-

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Bonokano 15th March, 1900

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FOR MANILA. HE Company's Steamship

"LOONGSANG," Captain Weigall, will be despatched as above TO-DAY, 24th inst., at Noon. This steamer has superior accommodation for First Class Passengers and is fitted throughout with Electric Light. For Freight or Passage, apply to

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"YARRAL" Captain Regliane, will be despitable t for the above Ports on or about SATURDAY, the For Freight or Passage, apply to G. DE CHAMPEAUX.

Hougkong, 20th March, 1990. DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

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Captain Passmore, will be despatched for the shove ports TO-MORROW, the 25th inst., at For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIR & CO, General Managers.

Hongkong, 22nd March, 1900. THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA. LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND TAMSUI. THE Company's Steamship

"TAMSUI MARU." Captain K. Sobajima, will be despatched for the above ports TO-MORROW, the 25th inst. at DAYLIGHT.

For Freight or Passage, apply to THE MITSUL BUSSAN KAISHA, Hongkong, 19th March, 1900. OURTH SEETHRALL COMEANK.

FOR LONDON: VIA SUEZ CANAL. THE Company's Steamship "ORESTES."

Captain Peters, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 28th March. For Freight, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, 22ml March, 1900 CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SINGAPORE, SAMARANG, AN SOURABAYA. HE Company's Steamship

"SHANTUNG." Captain Saios, will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 27th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Agents. Hougkong. 20th March, 1900. INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA. THE Company's Steamship

"CHELYDRA." Captuin Davies, will be despatched as above on, WEDNESDAY, the 28th inst., at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., General Managers.

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FOR FORT ARTHUR AND WLADI-VOSTOCK. FILE Russian Steamer

Captain Berentzen, will be ready to load here on WEDNESDAY, the 28th instant, for the above ports, and will have quick desputch. For Freight or Passage, apply to MELCHERS & CO.,

Hongkong, 23rd March, 1904. CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,

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"CHINKIANO," Captain Vanghan, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 31st inst. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Agenta. Hongkong, 22ml March, 1900. CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,

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"NANCHANG." Captain Finleyson, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 4th April. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, 1308 Hangkoute Mad March 1800

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NOTICE.

PORTS OF BRAZIL & RIVER PLATE ON MONDAY, the 26th March. 1900 at I P.M., the Company's Steamship SYDNEY," Cartain Aubert, with Mails, Passengers, Specie and Cargo, will leave this port for MARSEILLES via BOMBAY. This Steamer connects at COLOMBO with the S.S. Armand Behic, which vessel takes on her Passengers and Mails, leaving that port on the 7th April direct to Saoz, Port Said and

Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marsoilles, and accepted in transit through Marsoilles for the principal places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon, Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M. Specie and Parcels until 3 P.m on the 25th inst. (Parcols are not to be sent on board they must be left at the Agency's Office.) Contents and Value of Packages are required. For further Particulars, apply at the Con-

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent. Hongkong, 16th March, 1900. U.S. MAIL LINE.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY. VIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN AND

HONOLULU. PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG. CITTOF RIODE JANKIBO) (via Shanghai, Naga- (Tuesday, Mar. 27,

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Inland Sea, Yokohama, (at Noon. and Honolulu) CHINA. (via Shang-)

hai, Nagasaki, Kobe, Tuesday, May 15, Inland Sea, Yokohama, at NOON. and Henolulu) THE Company's Steamship "CITY OF

RIO DE JANEIRO" will be despatched for SAN FRANCISCO, VIA SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE, INLAND SEA, YOKOHAMA and HONOLULU, on TUES. DAY, the 27th March; at Noon.

Steamers of this line pass through the IN-LAND SEA OF JAPAN, and call at HONO-LULU, and passengers are allowed to break their journey at any point en route.

Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic ines of steamers, and to the principal cities of the United States or Canada. Rates may be obtained on application.

Passengers holding through ORDERS TO EUROPE have the choice of Overland Rail routes from San Francisco, including the SOUTHERN PACIFIC, CENTRAL PACIFIC, UNION PACIFIC, DRIVER AND BIO GRANDE, and NORTHERN PACIFIC BAILWAYS ; also the CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY on payment of

£4 in addition to the regular tariff rate. Passengers holding orders for OVER-LAND CITIES in the United States have between San Francisco and Chicago, the option of the Southern Pacific, Central Pacific, Union Pacific, DENVER AND RIO GRANDS, and other direct connecting Railways, and from Chicago to destination the choice of direct lines

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Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, Queen's Building. .O. L. GORHAM,

Acting Agent,

Handkoug 17th March 1900 OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LIVERPOOL DIRECT. (Taking Cargo at London rates). THE Company's Steamship .. We

HECTOR." Captain Barr, will be despatched as above will be despatched for the above port on on TUESDAY, the 10th April. For Freight, apply to BUTTERFIELD & BWIBE. Agouts. Will Boscheng The Murch 1910.

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FOR MANUA. THE Company's Steamship

"FUTAMI MARU" (3.800 tons gross, Captain J. Thom) will be desputched for the above port on FRIDAY, the 30th instant, at 4 P.M. This new Mail steamer is specially constructed for service in the Tropics and is provided with superior accommodation and with all modera fittings and improvements for the safety and comfort of Pastongers. Electric Light and Refrigerator. Doctor and Stewardess carried .-. Return tickets issued by this Company are

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Hongkong, 20th March, 1900. THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY: STEAM FOR

TRAITS, CEYLON, AUSTRALIA ADEN. EGYPT, MEDITERICANEAN PORTS, PLYMOUTH AND LONDON. THEOUGH BILLS OF LADING ESSED FOR BATAVIA, PERSIAN GULF, CONTINENTAL

AND AMERICAN PORTS. THE Steamship "PARRAMATTA," Captain A. Symons, carrying Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for MAR. SEILLES and LONDON DIRECT, on

SATURDAY, the 31st March, at Noon, taking Passengers and Cargo for the above Parcels will be received at this Office until 4 p.m. the day before sailing. The contents and value of all packages are required. Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Bills

of Lading. For further Particulars, apply to Superintendent. Hongkong, 19th March, 1900.

TOYO KISEN KAISHA. TO SAN FRANCISCO VIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN AND HONOLULU.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG. AMERICA MARU (VIA) Shanghai, Nagasaki, [SATUEDAY, April 14 Kobe, Inland Sea, Yo-1900. at NOON. hama, and Honolulu)

fair), UMAM DIONOROH Shanghai, Nagasaki, Tuesday, May 1900, at NOON. Kobe, Inland Sea, Yokohama, and Honolulu) NEPPON MARY (via) Shanghai, Nagasaki, THURSDAY, May 31, Kobe, Inland Sea, Yo. 1900, at Noon.

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Steamers of this line pass through the IN-LAND SEA OF JAPAN, and call at HONO. LULU, and passengers are allowed to break their journey at any point en routs.

Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of steamers, and to the principal cities of the United States or Canada. Rates may be obtained on application.

Passengers holding through ORDERS TO EUROPE have the choice of Overland Rail routes from San Francisco, including the SOUTHERN PACIFIC, CENTRAL PACIFIC, UNION PACIFIC, DENVER AND RIO GRANDE, and Northeen Pacific Railways; also the CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY on paymentjo £4 in addition to the regular tariff rate. c'assengers holding orders for OVERLAND

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Special rates (first class only) are granted to Missionaries, members of the Naval Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services, to European officials in service of China and Japan, and to Government officials and their fan ilies.

Through Bills of Lading issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, Havana, Trinidad, and Domerara, and to ports in Mexico, Control and South America, by the Company's and connecting Steamers.

Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M. the day previous to sailing. Parcel Packages will be received at the Office until 5 P.M. same day, all Parcel Freksges should be marked to address in full; yalus of same is required. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo des-tined to points beyond San Francisco in the United States should be sent to the Company's Office in Scaled Envelopes, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco.

For further information as to Lassage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company Quenn's Building. C. L. GORHAM. Acting Agent. Hongkong, 20th March, 1900.

FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL HE Steamship "PATHAN"

about 7th April : For Freight, apply to DODWELL & CO., LD., Rongkong 13th Merch, 1900.

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STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, NAPLES, GENOA, ANTWERP, AMSTERDAM, BREMEN/HAMBURG,

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PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG-SUBJECT TO HAMBURG (Hamburg-Amerika Linie) 5: 12th July.

ON WEDNESDAY, the 4th day of March, 1900, at Noon, the Steamship "KONIG ALBERT," of the Noedbeutscher Lloyd, Captain O. Cuppers, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port as above, Calling at Naples,

Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon on Monday, the 2nd April. Cargo and Specie will be received on Board until 5 P.M. on Tuesday, the 3rd April, and Parcels will be received at the Agency's Office until Noon, on TUBBDAY, the 3rd April. Contents of Packages are required. No Parcel Receipts will be signed for less than \$2.50 and Parcels should not exceed Two Feet Cubic in Measurement.

The Steamer has splendid accommodation and carries a Doctor and Stewardess. Lines can be washed on board. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

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Hongkong, 22nd March, 1900. INITED STATES AND CHINA-JAPAN STEAMSHIP LINE.

(HAMBURG AMERIKA LINIE HAMBURG). FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL. HE full-powered Steamship "ASTURIA."

Captain Hildebrandt, will be despatched for the above part off or about 29th March. For Freight, apply to CARLOWITZ & CO., Agents. Hongkong, 24th March, 1990.

CALIFORNIA AND ORIENTAL THE Steamship STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

IN CONNECTION WITH THE ATCHESON, TOPEKA AND SANTA FE RAILROAD CO. PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG TO SAN DIEGO AND SAN FRANCISCO, VIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN AND HONOLULU,

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN PORTS AND HONOLULU.

THE UNITED STATES. MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, &c. S.S. "LADY-JOICEY." On 31st Mar. 3.194 Tons) 5.023 Tons S.S. "CARLISLE CITY" About 28th 3,032 Tons S.S. "CARMARTHENSHIRE" ... } About 12th 2,929 Tons May S.S. "BELGIAN KING" About 26th 3,379 Tons 5 May

3,406 Tons June THE Steamship "LADY JOICEY" will be despatched for SAN DIEGO and SAN FRANCISCO via KOBE, YOKO FOR PORT DARWIN. QUEENSLAND HAMA and HONOLULU on SATURDAY | PORTS, SYDNEY, AND MELBOURNE. the 31st March. Through Bills of Lading issued to any point | THE Company's Steamship

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in the United States. Cargo will be received on board until 5 P.M. the day previous to sailing. Parcel Packages will be received at the Office until the same time. All Percels should be marked to address in full. Value of same is required.

Consular Invoices, to accompany Cargo destined to points beyond San Diego, should be sent to the Company's Office, addressed to the Collector of Customs, San Diego. For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE

Hougkong, 17th March, 1900. OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL

Hongkong, China and Japan.

STEAMSHIP COMPANY. TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED

STATES. MELICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH MERICA, AND EUROPE, VIA THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS AND APLANTIC AND OTHER CONNECTING STEAMERS. YIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN AND

HONOLULU. PROLOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG. Corrid (via Shanghai,) Thunsday, April 5. land Ses, Yokohama (at Noon.

and Honolulu) GARLIC (via Shanghai, Nagaraki, Kobe, In- Tuesday, May land Sea, Yokohama (at Noon. and Honolulu) Doure (vid Shanghai, Negasaki, Kobe, In WEDNES, May 23, land Son, Yokohama at Noon.

THE Company's Steamship "COPTIC will be despatched for SAN FRAN-CIECO VIA SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, ROBE, INLAND SEA, YOROHAMA, and HONOLULU on THURSDAY, the 5th April, 1900, at Noon.

and Honolulu

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ing at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within one year, will be allowed discount of 10 per cent. This allowance does not apply to through fares from China and Japan to

Compary's Office until Five P.M. the day previous to sailing.

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For further information as to Freight or Passage apply to the Agency of the Company, Queen's Building. C. L. GORHAM Acting Agent.

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Agents.

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DODWELL & CO., LIMITED, General Agents for China and Japan Honokong, 4th August, 1897

NULICES TO CONSIGNEES FROM HAMBURG, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE.

THE H.A.L. Steamship

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Hongkong, 20th March, 1900. For other Notices to Consignees see 3rd page

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